

1. Name: **Dr Ashish Tamta**
2. Designation: Assistant Professor (Contractual)
3. Qualification: Ph.D., UGC-NET/JRF Tourism, MBA Tourism, PGDTH & B.Sc. HHA
4. Area of specializations/research field: Tourism Management, Culinary
5. Publications:

Books

- Kumar, A. and Tamta, A. (2023). Analysis of Resident's Perception with Mobility Choices: A Case Study of Nainital Township. In P. Negi & J.K. Lohani (Eds.), *Culture and Tourism of Uttarakhand* (pp. 122-146). New Delhi, India: Kunal Books.

Research Articles Published

- Kumar, A.; Tamta, A.; Pant, L.M. and Joshi, V. (2023). Tourist transport pollution and the environment in Nainital township-an analysis of resident's perception. *Juni Khyat*, 13(5), 145-155, ISSN – 2278-4632
- Tamta, A.; Pant, L.M. and Joshi, V. (2022). Local residents' attitudes toward tourism development: A case study of Koh Larn community of Thailand. *Aadhunik Sahitya*, 44(2), 519-527, ISSN – 2277-7083.
- Kumar, A. and Tamta, A. (2018). Understanding host community's perception on the identified construct of environment, tourism and leisure transport: a case study of Nainital. *Avahan: A Journal on Hospitality and Tourism*, 6(1), 53-64, ISSN – 2347-4556.
- Kumar, A. and Tamta, A. (2016). Understanding tourists' perception and behaviour with regard to tourist transport and environment. *ESSENCE - International Journal for Environmental Rehabilitation and Conservation*, 7(1), 141-152, ISSN – 0975-6272.

6. Conference/Seminar organized:

- **UCCC-SSJU & USERC** (31st Mar; Almora): Seminar on “*CLIMATE CHANGE - Special Focus on Himalayan Environment*”
- **UOU** (22nd & 23rd Dec, 2022; Hadwani): National Conference on “*National Conference of Mathematics and Its Applications in Sciences*”
- **UOU** (5th June, 2022): Online National Webinar on “*Only One Earth - World Environment Day 2022*”
- **IGNOU** (24th to 26th March, 2022): Online Training on “*NEP 2020: Changing Role of Teachers in Distance and Online Learning’ for Faculty of IGNOU, SOUs, DEIs*”
- **UOU** (22nd September, 2021): National Webinar on “*Emerging Perspectives of Water based Tourism in India: Special focus on Sacred River Ganga*”

7. FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSIONS:

- **IGNOU Regional Evaluation Centre** (5th May, 2022): Online Discussion (FDG) on “Effectiveness of the MOOC development of online courses for SWAYAM” to have a comprehensive open discussion and interaction on the MOOC "Development of Online Courses for SWAYAM"

8. Academic/Administrative positions held:

S/N	Academic Position	Committee/board
1.	Assistant Professor	Kumaun University Nainital
2.	Assistant Professor	Uttarakhand Open University Haldwani
3.	Assistant Professor	Pithoragarh Institute of Technology & Management

9. Administrative positions held:

S/N	Academic Position	Committee/board	Designation
1.	Assistant Professor	Uttarakhand Open University - Examination	Examination Assistant
2.	Assistant Professor	Uttarakhand Open University – Placement Cell	Assistant Nodal Officer
3.	Assistant Professor	Uttarakhand Open University - MPDD	Demand Assistant
4.	Assistant Professor	Uttarakhand Open University - CIQA	Centre For Internal Quality Assurance Assistance
5.	Assistant Professor	Pithoragarh Institute of Technology & Management	Head of Department

10. RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

S/N	Academic Position	Committee/board	Year
1.	Senior Research Fellow: Department of Tourism Kumaun University Nainital	University Grants Commission	November 2017 – December 2018
2.	Senior Research Fellow: Department of Tourism Kumaun University Nainital	University Grants Commission	November 2013 – October 2017
3.	Research Enumerator: Department of Economics Kumaun University Nainital	Kumaun University	March 2013 – May 2013

Signature of faculty member